March 12, 2015 WORK SESSION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL CITY OF PLATTSBURGH MINUTES

Meeting commenced at 5:00 pm.

Present: Mayor Calnon, Councilors Rachelle Armstrong (W1), Mike Kelly (W2), Dale Dowdle (W3),

Becky Kasper (W5)

Absent: Councilors Paul O'Connell (W4) and Joshua Kretser (W6)

Item 1: Presentation by Charter Commissioners:

Mayor and Councilors engaged in conversation with Commission members. Lengthy discussion involved the three main areas being reviewed in present Charter. Information involved strong Mayor vs. Manager. Terms; lengths and limits as well as contacts with other municipalities who have or are undergoing their own Charter revivals.

<u>Item 2: Presentation by Jonathan Ruff, Environmental Manager:</u>

He presented various scenarios regarding the future of our drinking water supply. Present source and possible alternatives discussed including possible costs.

<u> Item 3:</u>

Councilor Kelly offered his views regarding travel and expenses incurred by city employees when approved.

Meeting adjourned at: 6:50pm

[Minutes recorded and submitted by Councilor Dowdle]